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A SHOCKING MURDER

Pretty Mrs. Woodill Brutally Killed and Thrown in River.

NEWSPAPER MAN ACCUSED

Wife of Rich California Automobile Manufacturer—Prominent in Social Life—Mystery of the Murder—A Sensation.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Baltimore, June 24.—Nude, with a weight of iron bound to it, the body of a young woman found yesterday afternoon in Back river near St. Michaels by two boys who were crabbing, was today identified as that of Mrs. Edith May Thompson Woodill, 20 years old.

Mrs. Woodill resided at Los Angeles, Cal., but came East with her husband last week to spend the Summer at the home of Captain Charles B. Thompson, her foster father at McDaniel, this State. Following the discovery and identification of the body with indications pointing to murder States' Attorney Turney, of Talbot county today, sent out telegrams asking that John T. Orr, or Emmitt L. Roberts, said to be a newspaper man, be arrested and charged with the crime. A dispatch from St. Michaels says that a bloody sheet and a woman's garment believed to have belonged to Mrs. Woodill, was found in his room and that Roberts disappeared last night.

Roberts was a comparative stranger in Talbot county. He went there last Fall and bought a little farm near the Thompson place. He described himself as a writer and newspaper correspondent. Mrs. Woodill had not been seen since Saturday, when she was said to have gone out on Niles river in a motor with Roberts. Her skull was crushed in when her decomposed body was found.

Mrs. Woodill was possessed of rare beauty and was well known socially in Baltimore and on the Maryland eastern shore.

The police of Baltimore and all other cities to which Roberts might make his way have been asked to search for and arrest him. He is said to be about 50 years old, five feet, six inches stout, smooth shaven, with abundant bushy hair and a ruddy complexion. He limps and wears a brace on one leg.

When the body was brought ashore it was so horribly swollen that Captain Thompson could not at first believe that it was the body of Mrs. Woodill, who is said to have weighed only about 100 pounds. The identification was made positive, however, by the dentist Mrs. Woodill had visited professionally in Euston.

Investigations since made indicate that when Roberts and Mrs. Woodill left here they went in the launch to a bungalow that is being built on Roberts' small farm, near that of Captain Thompson, and that in this bungalow the murder was committed.

There were found a bloody sheet and mattress and portions of a woman's clothes, partly burned. These have been identified as having belonged to Mrs. Woodill. There were also found in the bungalow a pair of corduroy trousers, in the pocket of which were two letters. One, believed to have been from Mrs. Woodill and to have some connection with the meeting at Royal Oak, was dated June 16th and read:

"Dear Wobby: Can't come down. Haven't even had my morning ablutions and I know how men hate waiting. Why, I would be afraid you would wear out the parlor rug plus your temper if you tried it. It is only an intermittent delirium, anyhow, and you

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OUTLINES.

It is announced that a Chinaman answering the description of Leon Ling, murderer of Elsie Sigel, in New York, passed through New Orleans several days ago.—The Senate yesterday increased the duty on shoes from 15 to 20 per cent. and on sole leather from 5 to 10 per cent. Senator Bailey made a four-hour speech against free raw material and Senator Beveridge accused the tobacco trust of squeezing consumers for millions of dollars.—The House appropriated \$10,000,000 to take the census next year.—In Atlanta, Ga., yesterday the Georgia Railroad introduced witnesses to prove to the strike arbitrators that negroes make better firemen than whites.—In Portsmouth, Va., yesterday Daily Holcomb, aged 19, was dangerously shot by her lover, William Wallace, who then fatally wounded himself.—At Durham, N. C., yesterday Wesley Bates was sentenced to 30 years in the penitentiary for killing night watchman Jack Robertson.—In Asheville, N. C., yesterday the National Association of Teachers in colored schools discussed plans for better facilities in negro rural schools.—New York markets: Money on call easy 1 3/4 to 2 per cent., ruling rate 1 3/4, closing bid 1 3/4, offered at 2. Spot cotton 15 points lower, closing quiet at 11.60. Flour quiet and lower to sell. Wheat firm. No. 2 red, old 1.47 1/2 nominal elevator. Corn easy, No. 2 old 81 in elevator. Oats dull, mixed 60 nominal. Turpentine and rosin quiet.

DAY'S DOINGS IN RALEIGH

Regular Army Officers to Visit Camp at Morehead City, N. C., June 24. State Oil Law—Cp.

(Special Star Correspondence.)
Raleigh, N. C., June 24.—Capt. F. W. Rowell, 15th U. S. Infantry, of the Ft. Leavenworth training school will be the Regular Army inspector for the encampment at Morehead City, July 8th to August 3rd. Capt. Monroe C. Keith, assistant chief of the division of the militia, will visit the camp July 28th, while the first regiment is there and there is a possibility that Capt. E. M. Weaver, chief of the division of the militia, will also visit the camp.

Governor Kitchen announces delegates to the American Prison Association convention at Seattle, Aug. 14th to 19th: J. J. Laughlinhouse, Raleigh; J. H. Kearney, Franklinton; E. G. Moore, Wilson; S. G. Pace, Mt. Airy; D. MacRackan, Whiteville; M. L. Reed, Buncombe; D. L. Blue, Bladen; J. L. Patterson, Winston; J. D. McCall, Charlotte; Rodolph Duffy, Onslow; L. H. Hardy, Reidsville; D. W. Parker, New London.

Dr. Syme, State Oil Chemist, has gone to Washington to find out just what the oil tests are by the National government with a view of making the State law effective July 1st conform to it.

State Forester J. S. Holmes and one or two government experts are to make an official study of forestry conditions in the State in all its relations to economic matters, beginning in the West and continuing through to the East.

The physicians of Raleigh this afternoon gave a big barbecue at Pullen Park in honor of the 36 young women who are here from various parts of the State to stand the examination required for registration as trained nurses. The trained nurses of Raleigh also shared the barbecue as special guests.

Charters were granted today to the Jackson Lumber Co., Asheville, capital \$700,000, New York and Philadelphia capitalists; and Henry B. Thomas, Asheville; The North State Development Co., Rocky Mount, capital \$100,000 by G. N. Buell and others; Hassell Supply Co., Washington, capital \$25,000 for dealing in machinery, Geo. Hackney principal incorporator; Dixie Ice & Coal Co., Greensboro, capital \$50,000, by J. W. Landreth and others; Concord Driving Club, capital \$25,000 by J. F. Laughlin and others. The amendments are for the University Drug Co., Chapel Hill, increasing capital to \$25,000, and Yearby Drug Co., Durham, increasing capital to \$50,000 and changing name to The Peabody Drug Co.

SUICIDE AT BOARDMAN.

Night Watchman at Lumber Mill Shot Himself in Presence of Child.

Visitors to the city yesterday from Boardman, N. C., brought news of the suicide of Mr. J. E. Edwards, a night watchman for the Butters Lumber Co., in that town, yesterday morning between 8 and 9 o'clock. Edwards was a middle-aged man and had been dependent for some time. Yesterday morning, accompanied by his little son, four or five years old, he left his home and went to the Britt hotel, walking upstairs and taking a room without saying anything to anyone. In a few moments those down stairs heard a pistol fire and hastening up the steps found that Edwards had shot himself through the head with a 38-calibre pistol, death having ensued half an hour later. Edwards was a married man and leaves three children by his first wife, the boy who accompanied him being one of these.

Harvard Defeats Yale.

Cambridge, Mass., June 24.—Harvard almost lost but finally won the annual "class day" game with Yale on Soldiers' Field today, principally through the breaking up of the visitors' pitching department. The score stood 3 to 2 after eleven exciting innings.

Harvard 000 000 101 01—3 6 3
Yale 010 001 000 00—2 6 4
Hartford, Hicks and Currier; Var Vieck, Merritt and Rend and Sweeney, time 2:45; umpires Adams and Smith.

Boardman 18, Lumberton 0.

Boardman, N. C., June 24.—In a slow and uninteresting game Boardman defeated Lumberton cotton mill team here today 18 to 0. The feature of the game was the playing of Bob Carr at 2nd for Boardman.

Boardman 221 318 100—18 14 0

Lumberton 000 000 000—0 3 9

Batteries—Wilmington and Covington; Stone, Thompson, Ward, Barker and Norris. Umpire O'Berry.

DURHAM MURDERER CONVICTED

Wesley Bates Sentenced to Penitentiary for 30 Years.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Durham, N. C., June 24.—After sentencing Wesley Bates to the full thirty years for the murder of night watchman Jack Robertson, Judge Crawford Biggs today censured the newspaper men for the wide publicity given to ordinary crimes and their featuring murder above everything else. He said Durham is far better than many counties and lawlessness is as easy to punish here as anywhere.

Regular Interest Period.

At the People's Savings Bank July 1st. If you deposit now with this bank you can draw your interest in three months.

RADFORD VOTED DRY

Prohibition Forces Win Out in Virginia Town—Majority.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Roanoke, Va., June 24.—The "drys" won by a majority of 104 votes in a local option election yesterday at Radford, Va. The dry majority two years ago was 153. The total votes cast today was 383 of which the "wets" cast 279 and the "drys" 243. The total vote two years ago was 398 of which the "drys" had 275 and the "wets" 122.

TARIFF ON SHOES

Senate Increased Duty From 15 to 20 Per Cent.

BAILEY ATTACKS MEASURE

Senator Beveridge Accuses Tobacco Trust of Squeezing Consumers for Millions of Dollars.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
Washington, June 24.—A short time before adjournment at 7 o'clock the Senate returned to the consideration of the schedules of the tariff bill after devoting the greater part of the day to listening to prepared speeches and adopted amendments increasing, by a vote of 32 to 24 the duty on shoes, from 15 to 20 per cent. ad valorem and increasing the duty on sole leather from 5 to 10 per cent. ad valorem, the lower figures representing the House rate in each case. An amendment increasing the duty on collodion was also adopted.

During the day there were three prepared speeches, all of them being of considerable length. Beginning when the Senate convened at 10 o'clock, Senator Beveridge, of Indiana, talked for about four hours and was followed by Mr. Bailey, of Texas, at almost as great length. Mr. Newlands was the last of the orators of the day and he had not long surrendered the floor when the Senate adjourned.

The theme of Mr. Beveridge's discourse was an amendment proposed by him regarding the size of tobacco packages. He contended that while the size of the packages had been reduced during the Spanish war with the end in view of compelling the purchaser to pay the war tax, those sizes have never been restored for the price reduced, notwithstanding the removal of the tax, thus practically giving the tobacco manufacturers and especially the tobacco trust, the advantage of the tax even though it has not been in operation for about nine years. He declared that the trust had influenced legislation for this purpose and asserted it was being benefited to the extent of many million dollars a year.

Mr. Bailey talked about free raw material for the purpose of justifying his vote as a Democrat against the free entry of iron ore, lumber and hides. He declared that previous to the Cleveland administration, the established Democratic policy was in opposition to the free admission of raw material and undertook to show that such a policy was really a part of the Republican scheme of high protection.

Mr. Newlands gave his attention to the income tax question, devoting special consideration to the President's recommendation for a corporation tax. He discussed at length the legislation of 1898 providing for a tax upon the gross receipts of oil refiners, on which the Supreme Court and which is relied upon by the President as a precedent for the proposed corporation tax. He pointed out especially that the law of 1898 was applicable, not to corporations alone but to "every person, firm, company and corporation carrying on such business," and suggested that a tax applying only to corporations might violate the constitutional requirement of uniformity.

\$10,000,000 For Taking Census.

On the eve of the expiration of the current fiscal year the House today authorized an emergency appropriation of \$10,000,000 for defraying the expenses of taking the 13th decennial census. In presenting the bill for that purpose, Mr. Tawney, chairman of the committee on appropriations explained the situation with respect to the permanent census measure still in conference and announced that unless the money was forthcoming the census bureau would be compelled to suspend all business next Wednesday. Notwithstanding this warning, the bill met with much opposition and it was only finally passed after Mr. Macon, of Arkansas, had forced a roll call on a point of no quorum.

Before taking up the census question a bill was passed making Scranton, Miss., a sub-port of entry.

'ESCAPED AT FAYETTEVILLE.

Prisoner Feigning Sickness Dug Hole Through Jail Wall.

(Special Star Telegram.)
Fayetteville, N. C., June 24.—Jacob Hart, sentenced to the roads for doing and robbing D. W. Parker, of this city in April, escaped from the Cumberland county jail last night. Hart had been pretending sickness for several days and had dug through the wall concealing the hole until his opportunity for escape.

A COMPLETE DENIAL

Mrs. Gould Declares on Stand That Witnesses Swore Falsely.

CLOSING HOURS OF THE TRIAL

Actor With Whom Mrs. Gould Associated Introduced Deposition in Her Behalf—Gould Amused at Testimony.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)
New York, June 24.—Katherine Clemmons Gould was called back to the stand for a final ordeal today, to explain away if possible the damaging testimony given by the witnesses for her husband in her suit for separation and alimony of \$250,000 a year.

It was a day of denials, beginning with the reading of the deposition of Dustin Farnum, the actor, who denied all allegations of improper conduct with Mrs. Gould and ending with Mrs. Gould's repeated denials of practically everything in word or action attributed to her by the witnesses for the other side.

For two warm hours, Mrs. Gould, looking for the first time somewhat uncomfortable in her smothering black satin gown, answered the carefully framed questions of her counsel, repudiating with a monotonous flat denial all testimony and insinuation charging her with excessive drinking, profanity or other impropriety. Chauffeurs, groomers, stable men, shop keepers, laborers and other servants and employees were alike branded with the short and ugly epithet. She never drank to excess, never used profane language, never forgot dignity as mistress of Castle Gould, and never overstepped the bounds of propriety.

Getting down to specific instances, she told her counsel that she never tried to hitch up a pair of mules, never ordered a table full of dishes and food thrown from the St. Regis apartments, never referred to Dustin Farnum as "My new beau," never quarreled with her husband before company, never had a coachman's arm about her waist to hold her on the carriage seat, never discharged an employee in anger, never became intoxicated aboard the Niagara, never consumed two quarts of cocktails in two days.

Mrs. Gould's explanation of her friendship with Dustin Farnum naturally took up a considerable portion of her time today. Her testimony held close to the line drawn in the deposition offered earlier in the day on behalf of Farnum who was unable to appear in person, it was announced, on account of illness.

Whatever intimacy there was between her and the actor, she said, was accounted for by her desire to have his advice regarding her plans to return to the stage.

"My home had been broken up," she said, "all authority had been taken from me, my happiness was gone and I wanted some occupation to divert my mind. I thought of returning to the stage and wanted to talk the matter over with Mr. Farnum, who I was convinced, would be able to help me."

Mrs. Gould went over the occasions from the time she first met Farnum in 1904 at a "Charity Benefit" down to the present time. She had not seen Farnum, she said, from 1904 till 1906, when she talked with him about returning to the stage.

Mrs. Gould said that Farnum was never in her parlor at the St. Regis except on the August afternoon 1894 when they lunched together with several others present, and on the occasion of the automobile accident on Long Island when they returned to arrange for bail for the chauffeur. She never addressed Mr. Farnum by any endearing names, she said, and never permitted any improper familiarity on his part. Only once during the afternoon was the even ripple of the question and answer between Mr. Shearn and Mrs. Gould disturbed. The interruption was by Justice Dowling who said that he wanted to look later at Mrs. Gould's now famous dinner checks at the Hotel St. Regis.

"I had not intended to mention them," declared Mr. Shearn perturbed. He promised to produce them for the court's inspection tomorrow, however.

It was late in the afternoon when Mr. Shearn concluded his questioning and Justice Dowling decided to postpone the cross examination until tomorrow, especially in view of the fact that Mrs. Gould's attorney promised a long examination. It is believed that the case will close tomorrow.

Regular Interest Period.

At the People's Savings Bank July 1st. If you deposit now with this bank you can draw your interest in three months.

See Rehder's for fruit jars, 1 pint 50 cents, 1 quart 60 cents, 2 quarts 80 cents the dozen. Rehder's Mill-End Sale.

Two more days of bargains at Rehder's annual Mill-End Sale, 18 yards unbleached homespun for 25 cents, 10 cents the dozen. Rehder's Mill-End wide only 5 cents.

TAFT COMING TO WILMINGTON

Party of North Carolinians Called Upon President Yesterday and Received Conditional Promise From Him—Reception.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., June 25.—President Taft today accepted an invitation to visit Wilmington, when urged to do so by a number of citizens from that city, who were introduced by Colonel Randke, of the United States Realty Company, today.

Mr. C. F. MacRae made the speech inviting the president in which he expressed the warm feeling of cordiality which exists on the part of North Carolinians for the Chief Executive and which has recently been intensified in the Eastern district by the appointment of Justice Connor to the Federal judgeship. He was seconded by Mr. W. A. Martin, Mr. W. M. Cumming, Mr. James Ward, and Mr. O. A. Durant and Master William Cumming, who inquired of the President about his son Charles and the invitation was extended that he accompany his father when he goes to Wilmington. The President in accepting the invitation said that he would visit Wilmington in the Fall on his way back from his Southern trip, should he decide to make one.

(By Associated Press.)
Washington, June 24.—To a delegation of citizens of Wilmington, N. C., who invited him to visit that city, President Taft said today that if he makes a Western and Southern trip this Fall Wilmington undoubtedly would be included in the itinerary.

BASE BALL

National League.

New York, June 24.—New York made it four straight from Boston by winning two games the scores being 7 to 4 and 12 to 5. The first contest was interesting and the second a farce.

Boston 000 012 010—4 12 4
New York 010 011 04x—6 13 3
Tuckey and Graham; Raymond and Schlei; time 2:00; umpires Rigler and Truby.

Boston 020 000 210—5 5 2
New York 510 300 30x—12 11 1
White, Boules and Bowerman; Ames and Schlei and Snodgrass; time 1:50.

Brooklyn, June 24.—Brooklyn made it three straight with Philadelphia today, score 6 to 3.

Philadelphia 100 000 200—3 11 0
Brooklyn 120 210 00x—6 12 0
Moran, Corridor and Dootin; Bell and Bergen; time 1:34; umpires Kane and Klem.

St. Louis, June 24.—Pittsburg won a close game 3 to 2 from St. Louis today. Harmon, formerly of Shreveport, pitched a good game. He was taken out to allow Phelps to bat for him and Sallee finished the game.

Pittsburg 000 003 000—3 12 0
St. Louis 002 000 000—2 4 1
Maddox, Camnitz and Gibson; Harmon, Sallee and Bresnahan; time 1:57; umpires Johnstone and Cusack at Chicago-Cincinnati, rain.

American League.

Philadelphia, June 24.—Errors by Knight and Elbarfeld proved costly in today's game and Philadelphia beat New York by 5 to 3. Cree drove the ball over the rightfield fence for a home run—the second time this feat has been performed at Shibe Park.

Philadelphia 002 200 10x—5 7 2
New York 001 010 100—3 8 4
Morgan and Thomas; Manning, Hughes and Blair; time 2:00.

Cleveland, June 24.—Cleveland defeated Chicago easily today 8 to 1. Scott was wild and hit hard while Young allowed only four Chicago men to reach first, three on hits and one on an error. LaJole may be out of the game a month on account of a sprained wrist.

Cleveland 000 210 32x—8 11 1
Chicago 000 010 000—1 3 1
Young and Eaterly; Scott and Sullivan; time 1:55; umpires Hurst and Connolly.

Detroit, June 24.—Detroit beat St. Louis 2 to 1 in a game that was either team's all the way, the visitors losing two chances to score through bad work on the base lines. Bush, four times up, hit four times.

Detroit 100 100 00x—2 7 1
St. Louis 000 000 010—1 6 1
Mullin and Schmidt; Dineen and Criger; time 1:50; umpires Evans and Egan.

Washington, June 24.—Altrock weakened in the eighth inning of today's game and Boston defeated Washington 5 to 1.

Washington 000 001 000—1 6 1
Boston 000 000 023—5 11 2
Altrock and Street; Ryan, Arellanes and Carrigan and Spencer; time 1:55; umpires Perrine and O'Loughlin.

Southern League.

At Mobile 1; Nashville 7. Other games postponed.

South Atlantic League.

At Macon 1; Columbus 2. At Charleston 2; Savannah 3. At Columbia 1; Jacksonville 2. At Augusta-Chatanooga, rain.

Virginia League.

At Portsmouth 1; Roanoke 6. At Danville 5; Lynchburg 4. At Richmond 5; Norfolk 3. At Greensboro 3; Winston 2. At Charlotte 6; Greenville 7. At Spartanburg 9; Anderson 6. (forfeited.)

WON FROM GIANTS

Took First From Golbsboro After Nerve Racking Exhibition.

NEARLY A TIE IN NINTH

Tobaccoists Overwhelmingly Defeated Highlanders—Rocky Mount Apparently Easy for Red Birds—Other Results.

Results Yesterday.

Wilmington 4, Golbsboro 3.
Raleigh 6, Rocky Mount 2.
Wilson 13, Fayetteville 1.

Games Today.

Golbsboro at Wilmington.
Wilson at Fayetteville.
Raleigh at Rocky Mount.

Standing of the Clubs.

W.	L.	Pct.
Wilson	19	.655
Raleigh	19	.594
Golbsboro	19	.579
Wilmington	16	.471
Rocky Mount	11	.355
Fayetteville	10	.345

The crew of the Mary Jane, a little weather-beaten from the terrific storm the past three days at Wilson, with Pilot Sexton at the helm on the home cruising grounds yesterday afternoon, showed up in much better form and the craft got safely into port with four runs to three for the Giants.

But for two rank and successive errors by Hemp at shortstop in the eighth inning, followed by neat safeties by Gettig and Smith, the Sailors would have dumped a car-load of kalsomine on the Giants. Sexton pitched a magnificent game, yielding but six hits to seven for the Sailors off the delivery of Otis. One of Sexton's feats on the mound was the fanning of the "mighty" Doak four times in succession. A little bone-head work in the ninth nearly tied the score but Sexton worked hard and fanned Otis, the man at bat, with a runner on third. The game in detail as follows:

First—Smith was out second to first; Gettig hit by pitched ball; Sharp hit safe and Crockett and Sharp were out on double Nichols to Hemp. Hemp, for Wilmington, fanned, Nichols walked and got second on error, Smith flew out to short, Brodie out to first unassisted.

Second—The mighty Doak fanned; Zanelli hit safe over second and went to second on passed ball; Seal fanned, Fulton flew to second. Wilmington: Levy flew out to left; Sharp out second to first, Hayes short to first.

Third—Otis popped out to catcher, Smith fanned; Gettig out second to first. Wilmington: Conn walked, Sexton and Hemp singled and on Hemp's hit, Conn scored; Nichols safe on fielder's choice, Sexton out at plate; Smith singled, scoring Hemp; the side was retired on an attempted squeeze play and Brodie fanned.

Fourth—Sharp fanned; Crockett singled but Doak and Zanelli fanned. Wilmington: Levy hit safe over second; Sharp sacrificed; Hayes safe on error of pitcher, Conn fanned, Sexton out third to first.

Fifth—Seal out second to first, Fulton third to first. Otis walked, Smith flew to Brodie. Wilmington: Hemp walked; Nichols sacrificed; Smith hit to short too hot to handle; Brodie bunted safely and Hemp sacrificed, catcher dropping ball; Levy popped out to third and Smith was doubled at third.

Sixth—Gettig flew to Brodie; Sharp likewise on beautiful fielding by Brodie; Crockett to Nichols. Wilmington: Sharp led off with a single to left; Hayes bunted safely and on throw to second, Sharp went to third and Hayes to second; Conn hit to third and Sharp was out at home; Sexton up and Hayes scored on double steal, Conn on third; Sexton up and Conn out on attempted steal; Sexton fanned.

Seventh—Doak fanned; Zanelli and Seal out second to first. Wilmington: Hemp out third to first; Nichols fanned; Smith singled to left and Zanelli was put out of the game for dumb playing, Sharp taking short and Stoehr going to centre; Brodie flew to left.

Eighth—Fulton and Otis were safe on errors of Hemp; Smith singled to right and Fulton scored; Gettig singled to centre and Otis and Smith scored with none down; Sharp hit to pitcher and Gettig was out at second; Crockett hit to second and Sharp was out hit by fairly batted ball, Crockett safe at first on dead ball; Doak fanned for the fourth time. Wilmington: Levy flew to short; Sharp to left; Hayes walked and stole second; Conn walked; Sexton out second to first.

Ninth—Stoehr batting for Stoehr flew to Nichols, Seal walked, Fulton flew to Hayes on beautiful catch, Otis up and Seal got second on passed ball.

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Spanish-American Veterans' Reunion
Carolina Beach Saturday, June 26th, 1909. Music by Fort Caswell band. Dancing. Boat leaves Wilmington 9 A. M., 2:30 and 5:15 P. M. Ju 25-2t.

See Schedule.
Steamer Wilmington for Carolina Beach and Southport on the 6th page, Je 16-tf.

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SCOUT CARS INCITING BUILDING OF GOOD ROADS.

The Atlanta to New York trip of the scout cars seeking the best route for the proposed endurance race for automobiles from New York to Atlanta has been a fine object lesson and magic incentive in the building of good roads. The cars, which passed through several North Carolina cities, bound North, arrived in Washington on Wednesday and the party was specially received at the White House.

It was inspiring to all advocates of the good roads movement for the President to have with him many government officials and prominent men to meet the scout car people and discuss with them the all-important movement of good roads.

The automobile has already been a powerful factor in emphasizing the importance of better highways, and the scout car trip will result in great good, even if it does no more than result in the construction of the proposed splendid capital to capital highway from New York to Atlanta. It is very gratifying to note that one of the first practical results from the Atlanta to New York trip was felt in North Carolina. This is shown in a wonderful feat in good road building accomplished at Pinehurst by that enterprising gentleman, Mr. Leonard Tufts, who is enthusiastic over the proposed capital to capital route. The Atlanta Journal this alludes to Mr. Tufts' good work:

"One of the most notable incidents in the good roads movement set on foot by the Atlanta Journal and the New York Herald was accomplished by Mr. Leonard Tufts, proprietor of a 6,000-acre tract of land and a group of resort hotels in and around Pinehurst, N. C. who hired 200 men and 100 teams at his own expense, for the special purpose of extending a stretch of road over which the scout cars would pass.

"The road, as far as it extended, was already equal to the famous madam turnpike of the Shenandoah Valley, and when Mr. Tufts learned that the scouts would pass that way he advertised for the men and teams necessary to extend the road still further.

"It was one of the most gigantic undertakings in the history of North Carolina, which has already taken a leading position in this good roads work, and as a consequence more than two miles of good road were built in four days and a half.

"Catching the inspiration of Mr. Tufts' example, the farmers suspended work and the saw mills shut down in order to give every available employee an opportunity to work on the roads before the scout cars came along.

"After the wearisome stretches of bad roads, made worse by the rains, it was a grateful relief to come into such an excellent highway, and if the capital-to-capital route is not selected as the official route it will not be the fault of the people of North Carolina in the section through which the scouts have just passed.

"It is incidents like this which vindicate the judgment of the Journal and the Herald in establishing this good roads and reliability contest. The practical fruits of it are being made manifest all the way between Atlanta and New York and by the time the great contest is pulled off the highways between Broadway and Whitehall will be the peer of any roads in the United States."

BEEF INSPECTION SCANDAL.

A few weeks ago J. F. Harms, one of the Government's meat inspectors in the packing houses at East St. Louis, Ill., resigned because, as he alleged, deplorable conditions exist in the inspection system in the packing plants. It will be remembered that in an interview he reported that the inspectors not only did not do their duty but made inspection a farce by corruptly approving meat products to satisfy the packers.

To the credit of the Agricultural Department, at Washington, under which the Government's meat inspection system is supposed to be carried out, a prompt investigation of the Harms charges was ordered. Dr. A. D. Melvin, of Washington, chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry, was sent to East St. Louis to make the investigation. He finished his inquiry on Tuesday and left for Washington without a hint as to what his report will be. He took the testimony behind closed

doors, and of course the result of his investigation will have to come first through the Agricultural Department. The Department is to be commended for its promptness, and whether or not the public gets the full report as to the bad conditions reported by Mr. Harms, the stirup will no doubt be good for the service. A rake over the coals now and then won't hurt a bit for people with government jobs.

AVOID THE VERY APPEARANCE OF EVIL.

Elsie Sigel got to going to the slums to save the Chinese. Tell-tale letters which the unfortunate murdered girl left behind show that she had love intrigues with two of the yellow men. Result: Jealousy, murder, mother insane, and family plunged into the deepest shadows of harrowing grief and crushing humiliation. Poor Elsie went in with good intentions to do missionary work but gradually she slipped into the slime of the slum! Let these lines again remind us: "Vice is a monster of such frightful mien, That to be hated needs but to be seen; But seen to oft, familiar with her face, We first endure, then pity, then embrace."

In the Gould divorce trial her hairdresser testified that he spends two hours a day dressing her hair and that he has never smelled liquor on her breath. The lawyer conducting the cross examination for the prosecution utterly neglected to make him acknowledge that his bad cold is in the chronic stage.

In broad daylight at Fort Worth, Texas, on Tuesday a lone highwayman held up the cashier and robbed a bank of \$8,100. In holding up the consumers Senator Aldrich can set up as his defence that, unlike the Texan, he is not doing a "lone" job of it but has plenty of accomplices in the Senate.

Says the Spartanburg (S. C.) Daily Herald: "Sixty three cases have been docketed for trial at the Greenville term of court." The docket would have shown more than that but it is impossible to catch up with all the Greenville villains.

Joaquin Miller proposes to build a Home for Poets. This simply opens up the opportunity for some witch to suggest that the ward for near-poets should be so constructed as to provide for close confinement.

"Keep ahead of the game," said a lecturer who was urging men to keep up to the scratch. If a man don't keep ahead of the game his wife will be the first to want to know what he does with his money.

It is said the wives of the Indiana farmers are on a strike. You can put your money on the bet that while that strike lasts the farmers will have to take many a sly dig.

A certain New York court trial involving a man and his wife recalls the old phrase "to drink like a fish." This brings up the reflection that even a Gould fish drinks.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The poor consumer! To him, all is lost save honor; and he cannot possibly eat that!—Washington Herald.

—If Simmons and Daniels keeps it up at the rate they are going there is danger of the truth being told on both of them.—Clinton News Dispatch (Rep.)

—Jean d'Orleans, Duc de Guise, who has just arrived in this country with his duchess, who is also his first cousin, is the only surviving son of that Duc de Chartres who, with his brother, the late Comte de Paris, served on the staff of Gen. McClellan during the civil war. The Duc de Guise received his military training and the greater part of his education at Copenhagen, and holds the rank of captain in the Danish army. While at Copenhagen he made his home with his eldest sister, wife of Prince Waldemar, the sailor brother of the King of Denmark and ranking admiral of the Denmark, and ranking admiral of the Guise's sisters, after the breaking off of her engagement with the Duke of Orleans, married the Duke of Magenta, eldest son of the late Marshal MacMahon and commanding the 128th regiment of French infantry at Havre.—Washington Post.

—The advertising manager of a big business house in this city has invented a postcard which has been patented in this country and all over Europe, and will probably be widely used for advertising and souvenir purposes. It consists of an ordinary postcard with a round hole in the middle about the size of a quarter and a collapsible figure of rice paper pasted on the back. This figure may be any shape desired, and may be printed with the likeness of historic buildings or other things it is desired to reproduce. A puff of the breath through the hole fills out the rice paper figure, which assumes the wanted shape, and stays that way until again folded. It is an interesting novelty, and particularly well adapted to bear figures of buildings of historic or other interest. The collapsible card will also be made in the form of a bank, with a slot for coins. The inventor happened on this idea while building cardboard figures for his little daughter.—Philadelphia Record.

—None of our readers, we trust, overlooked the attitude and the argument of former Lieutenant Governor W. D. Turner on pending tariff matters as briefly set forth by him in yesterday's paper. Anything coming from

such a source as Mr. Turner would merit and receive respectful attention at the public's hands, but we wish to say that, in our opinion, his point was made with singular effectiveness. Mr. Turner recalled the old cow used for illustrative purposes by Governor Vance when on the tariff. Her head was toward the South feeding, while her udder was toward the North being milked. Governor Vance said that he wanted to turn the old cow around a while. For trying to edge her around so that the South may get a little milk the State's Senators and nearly all its Representatives have been howled at from some quarters. As Mr. Turner points out, no Democrat now in Congress from this State has voted for any duty which is not a revenue duty by strict definition. Mr. Turner finds the howling very difficult to account for. And so do we.—Charlotte Observer.

TWINKLINGS.

—Sociologist—Do you have much trouble keeping down expenses? The Toilet—Not so much as keeping up the revenue.—Milwaukee Journal.

—As soon as a woman finds out that a man means everything he says to her he becomes tiresome.—Chicago Record-Herald.

—"Your wife doesn't seem to care much for that friend of yours." "No; he's the man I lay the blame on when I'm detained downtown."—Philadelphia Post.

—A young lady named "Helper" was married to a man named "Lord" in a Western Kansas town the other day, and, of course, all of the newspapers out that way headed up the story "Lord-Helper."—Jersey City Journal.

—"Mr. P., how is it you have not called on me for your account?" "Oh, I never ask a gentleman for money." "Indeed! How, then, do you get on if he doesn't pay?" "Why, after a certain time I conclude he is not a gentleman, and then I ask him."—Tit-Bits.

—A prosperous farmer sent his son to New York to begin life as a clerk. After he had been in the metropolis for six months the farmer wrote to ascertain how his son was getting along and where he spent his nights. In due time the merchant sent a reply to the farmer which read: "Your son sleeps in the store in the day-time. I don't know where he spends his nights."—The Circle.

—"Ma wants two pounds of butter exactly like what you sent us last. If it ain't exactly like that she won't take it," said the small boy. The grocer turned to his numerous customers and remarked blandly: "Some people in my business don't like particular customers, but I do. It's my delight to serve them what they want. I will attend to you in a moment, little boy." "Be sure to get the same kind," said the boy. "A lot of pa's relations is visiting at our house, and ma doesn't want 'em to come again."—Tit-Bits.

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A characteristic of dreams which, as the rather materialistic Dr. Clarke says, "hints at a life that has neither beginning nor end and is bounded by no limits which human thoughts can compass" is the rapidity with which events happen in the dream world. Thus, when asleep and dreaming, we live an entire lifetime in a minute; in a space of time that is scarcely more than a second we pass through experiences that could not be duplicated in this objective sphere in hours, perhaps in years.

Count Lavallette relates that one night, when imprisoned and under sentence of death, he dreamed that he stood for five hours at a Paris street corner, where he witnessed a continuous succession of harrowing scenes of blood, every one of which wrought his soul to the highest pitch of excitement. When he woke he found that he had been asleep less than two minutes.

In a more recent experiment, made expressly to test the truth of these theories, the subject was aroused from sleep by a few drops of water being sprinkled upon his forehead. It took but an instant to accomplish this result, and yet in that incalculably brief space of time the man dreamed of going on an excursion; of an accident by which he was plunged into a lake, and, during the long struggle to escape death that followed all the experiences of his life seemed to flash before him, just as they are said to appear to a person who is actually drowning.

Dreams are tricksters. Professor Titchener of Cornell university told with gusto of his experience. As a specialist in psychology he interested himself in dreams. Like a true scientist, he once set about gathering data. He wanted to know what caused dreams, where they came from, what they meant, and all that. He determined to watch himself when he slept and to awake himself at once when he found himself dreaming something of value. So, with a notebook on a writing table near his bed, he forced himself to waken for several nights and to write down, while the dream impressions were vivid, his remembrances of the details and by a study of the room, the bed and his physical condition to attempt to arrive at the possible causes of his dreams.

He was getting on famously. One night he had a particularly vivid dream. In accordance with his practice, he forced himself to awake and immediately write down clearly everything about it, then went back to sleep again. The next morning he arose and was astounded to see that his note sheet was blank. He remembered positively the notes he had set down thereon in the middle of the preceding night. The next night again he wrote down his notes after his dreams, only to have the same uncanny sensation the next morning at finding nothing recorded.

The strange circumstances set him to pondering. That night he impressed upon his mind before dropping off into slumber that he must awaken with his first dream, or, if not with that, with his second dream. Subsequently this strong antedreaming command delivered to himself was present all through his dream consciousness. When the first scenes of a vivid dream came before his fancy he felt himself awaken, and he set about writing down the facts upon the pad at his table.

It was then that from some source of inner consciousness he felt the command again to awake, although he seemed at the time to be in full possession of his normal faculties. His eyes opened, and the secret was out. He found himself lying in bed, where he had been all that night. His rising after each dream had become so much a routine that he had dreamed that he had arisen and had made the notes, and his dream was so clear that it seemed reality.—Outing Magazine.

Pat's Deficiencies.

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Good Reason Why.

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WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture
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Wilmington, N. C., June 25, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours
ending at 8 P. M. Thursday, June 24th:
Temperature at 8 A. M. 79 degrees;
8 P. M. 79 degrees; maximum 83 de-
grees; minimum 75 degrees; mean 82
degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .10 for the
month, 2.56 inches.
Stage of water in Cape Fear river
at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Thursday
5.9 feet.

Weather Forecast

For North Carolina—Local showers
Friday and Saturday, light to moderate
southwest winds.

Port Calendar—June 25.

Sun Rises.....4:43 A. M.
Sun Sets.....7:19 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 37 min.
High water at Southport 12:58 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 3:58 A. M.

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—Mr. R. S. McClamrock, of Greens-
boro, spent yesterday in the city.

—Mr. F. B. Gault, of Lake Wacca-
maw, was a visitor to the city yester-
day.

—Hon. F. S. Sprull, of Rocky
Mount, was in the city yesterday on
professional business.

—Rev. C. E. Vale, of Chadbourne,
was among the out-of-town guests at
The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. E. D. Pearsall arrived in the
city last evening from Rocky Point on
a business trip.

—Mr. C. P. Parker, of Parkersburg,
was in the city yesterday on a short
business trip.

—Fred W. Bonitz, Esq., is spending
a few days in Washington, D. C., on
legal business.

—Mr. Chas. A. Price, who now lives
in Georgia, is visiting his mother,
Mrs. M. A. Price, in this city.

—Messdames J. A. Brown and J. H.
Land, Jr., of Chadbourne, were visitors
to the city yesterday, being guests at
The Orton.

—Mr. Marks Nathan, of Charlotte,
is spending a few days here, the guest
of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Na-
thau.

—Mr. I. Frank Faison and bride,
nee Miss Isabel Pigford, of Faison, N.
C., are spending their honeymoon on
Wrightsville Beach.

—Mr. R. T. Windley leaves today
for New York and Boston on a busi-
ness trip and from the latter place will
go to New Hampshire on a visit.

—Miss Maude Mae Combs has
returned from a pleasant visit of a
month to her aunt, Mrs. Robert W.
Lain, Vauxhall Flats, Nashville,
Tennessee.

—Mr. Theo. B. Kingsbury, Jr., for
the past few months Associated Press
operator for the Raleigh News and
Observer, is in the city on a vacation
of a few days.

—Mrs. James D. Combs and chil-
dren, who have been spending sev-
eral weeks in the mountains and visit-
ing relatives in west Tennessee, re-
turned home Wednesday.

—Among the registrations at the
Hotel Woodward, Broadway and 55th
streets, New York, on Tuesday, were
Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fetter, Jr., and Mr.
D. C. B. VanDuzen, of Wilmington, N. C.

—Master William D. Burris, of
Southport, who has been quite sick at
the home of his grandparents, "Squire
and Mrs. W. McD. Evans, is rapidly
improving and will soon be able to be
out.

—Fayetteville Observer, 23rd inst.:
"Mr. Nash E. Bunting, wife and son,
Master William McDuffie, are visiting
at the home of Mrs. Bunting's sister,
Mrs. W. M. Glover, on Russell street.

—Mrs. A. S. Huske leaves this af-
ternoon for Wrightsville Beach to be
with her son, Rev. B. F. Huske, who
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Son Wagner, Colored, Arrested For
Breaking In Shain's Store.

Son Wagner, a negro about 25 years
old, was arrested by Patrolman M. C.
Huggins yesterday afternoon on the
charge of breaking into the clothing
store of Isaac Shain, 809 North Fourth
street, Wednesday night and stealing
a pair of pants, which were found in
the negro's possession. In default of
bond the negro spent the night in the
calaboose and will be given a hearing
before the Recorder this morning.

Entrance to the store was effected
through a window in the rear of the
store. The strange thing about the
robbery is that the thief was content
with only one pair of trousers. Officer
Huggins had seen the negro loitering
about the store late at night on several
occasions and as soon as he heard of
the robbery he suspected him of the
crime and the arrest followed.

Epworth League Conference.

Delegates from the three Wilming-
ton Methodist churches are in attend-
ance at the Epworth League Confer-
ence which opened last night in Trin-
ity church, in Durham, and will be in
progress throughout Sunday. Miss
Sallie Futrell is a delegate from Trin-
ity's League, Misses Brinkley, Ida
Hankins and Mr. William Corbett,
from Grace, and Mrs. Frank from Bladen
Street. The delegates left Wil-
mington yesterday morning.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The annual police excursion to
Carolina Beach, which is always well
attended and enjoyed, will be run on
July 8th this year.

—Messrs. James Kerr and H. G.
Payne, of this city, were among those
who stood and successfully passed the
examination before the Pharmaceu-
tical Board in Greensboro Wednesday.

—Mrs. Lula Hewlett was before
Justice Bornemann yesterday morning
on a peace warrant sworn out by Mrs.
Louise Rivenbark. The prosecutor de-
cided to withdraw the warrant.

—Trinity Sunday school will have
its annual excursion to Carolina Beach
today. All members of the school
who have not been provided with
tickets for the outing will be able to
secure them on the boat.

—In the Recorder's court yesterday
Fred Bennett, colored, was taxed with
the costs for violating the sanitary
ordinance of the city by throwing dead
turtles in a barrel at the market. Two
cases against a negro woman for dis-
orderly conduct were continued until
today.

—W. A. Brown, colored, was ar-
rested at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon
by Patrolman Leon George on the
charge of assault with deadly weapon
upon his wife. He is accused of
throwing a rock at her, the missile
missing its mark, however. In de-
fault of bond the negro was lodged in
the calaboose.

—The church sociable given last ev-
ening by the ladies of Trinity Metho-
dist church at the home of Mr. E. V.
McKenzie, No. 804 Dock street, was
well attended and was a pleasing and
much enjoyed affair. The evening was
featured by music, recitations and
games. Delightful refreshments were
served and a neat sum was raised for
the building fund.

—Deeds filed for record yesterday:
P. Q. Moore and wife to Mary Bridg-
ers, for \$1,000 and other considera-
tions, lot on northeast corner of Mar-
ket and 11th streets, 60x150 in size,
together with all buildings on the
premises; Geo. B. Myers and wife to
John Quince Myers, for \$500 and other
considerations, lot on eastern line of
Eight, 158 feet south of Orange
street, 40x150 feet in size.

JUNIORS' DAY AT BEACH.

Largest Crowd of Season Attended De-
lightful Outing Yesterday.

Yesterday was Juniors' day at Car-
olina Beach and the large number from
George Washington and Jeff Davis
Councils with others who took advan-
tage of the outing, composed the large-
est crowd that has visited the beach
this season. There were some 700
people who went on the four boats
run especially for this outing.

The fine weather made it most en-
joyable for all who attended. The ma-
jority of the people went down on the
morning boat and quite a few business
men and others took advantage of the
later boats, in the afternoon and even-
ing. Dancing was the chief feature
last night and a fine musical pro-
gramme was furnished by Parker's
band from this city.

The Juniors enjoyed a delightful
dinner, which was prepared by Mrs.
H. A. Kure, who conducts the hotel
at the beach. The menu included
clam chowder, (English style), roast
veal with tomato sauce, sea bass, pig
fish fried, fresh peas, cabbage and
ham, butter beans with cream, chick-
en pot pie, brown squash, baked po-
tatoes with butter, steamed rice, Bos-
ton brown bread, cheese and crackers;
dessert, huckleberry pie, jelly, cake
and ice cream.

SENT TO THE HOSPITAL.

Condition of Young Man Arrested for
Forgery is Serious.

Fred Harris, the young white man
arrested Wednesday afternoon on the
charge of forging the name of Mr. R.
L. Washburn to telegrams by which
he secured \$75, was removed from the
City Hall to the James Walker Mem-
orial Hospital early yesterday after-
noon for treatment, being in a serious
condition from the effects of the drunken
debauch which he has been on
ever since he landed here last week.
Those conversant with the circum-
stances of the case do not believe that
Harris realized just what he was doing
when he secured the money through
misrepresentation and forgery.

Chief of Police N. J. Williams yester-
day morning received a telegram
from Thos. B. Harris, of Lincoln, N. C.,
a relative of the prisoner, read-
ing as follows: "Hold. Will be there
tomorrow." It is expected that Mr.
Harris will make a satisfactory adjust-
ment of the matter when he arrives.

MRS. R. L. PIVER DEAD

Passed Away Yesterday Morning.

After an illness of some time, Mrs.
R. L. Piver died at 10 o'clock yester-
day morning at her home, 516 Church
street. The announcement of her death
came as a great shock to her many
friends and loved ones. Mrs. Piver
was 29 years old and is survived by
her husband, father and mother, Mr.
and Mrs. R. F. Rising, two sisters, Miss
Nellie Rising and Mrs. E. S. Piver,
and two brothers, Messrs. W. A. and
R. F. Rising, Jr., all of this city.

The funeral will be held from the
late residence at 11 o'clock this morn-
ing and the interment will be in Belle-
vue.

Taylor-Pritchard.

The Raleigh News and Observer of
yesterday has the following which
will be read with interest by many
Wilmington friends: "The marriage
of Miss Mary Olivia Taylor to Mr.
Thomas William Pritchard, of Wil-
mington, N. C., will be solemnized at
the home of her brother, Dr. Joshua
Taylor, Washington, N. C., Wednes-
day, June the thirteenth, at five o-
clock P. M., nineteen hundred and
nine. No cards."

Regular Interest Period.

At the People's Savings Bank July
1st. If you deposit now with this bank
you can draw your interest in three
months. Ju 25-3t.

New goods are being added daily to
the wonderful bargain display at Reh-
der's annual Mill-End Sale. **

WON FROM GIANTS

(Continued From First Page.)
and third on throw to catch him; Otis
fanned.

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Goldsboro	4	1	1	0	2	1
Smith, 2b	3	0	1	3	4	0
Gettig, 3b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Sharp, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Crockett, 1b	4	0	2	8	2	1
Doak, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Zanelli, ss	3	0	1	1	1	0
Stoehr, cf	0	0	0	0	0	0
Seal, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Fulton, c	4	1	0	8	0	1
Otis, p	3	1	0	0	2	1
**Stubbs	1	0	0	0	0	0

	Totals	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Wilmington	33	3	6	24	11	4	2
Hemp, ss	3	2	1	2	0	0	2
Nichols, 1b	2	0	0	9	2	0	0
Smith, 3b	4	0	3	0	1	0	0
Brodie, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Levy, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Sharp, 2b	3	0	1	1	5	0	0
Jaynes, rf	3	1	0	1	0	0	0
Conn, c	1	1	0	10	0	0	0
Sexton, p	3	0	1	0	1	0	0

Totals.....27 4 7 26 9 2
**Batted for Stoehr in ninth.
*One out hit by batted ball.

Score by Innings.

Goldsboro.....000 000 030—3 6 4
Wilmington.....002 011 00x—4 7 2

Summary—Sacrifice hits, Nichols
and Sharp; hit by pitched ball, Sexton;
1; bases on balls, Otis 5, Sexton 2;
struck out, by Otis 5, Sexton 9; double
plays, Nichols to Hemp; Gettig un-
assisted; passed balls, Conn 2; bases on
errors, Wilmington 6, Goldsboro 3;
left on bases, Wilmington 8, Goldsboro
6; time 1:55; umpire Barre; attendance
350.

Swatfist at Fayetteville.

Fayetteville, N. C., June 24.—Wilson
took the first game of the series from
the locals, 13 to 1 by pounding Mulier
for 16 hits. Sultor and Miller, of the
visitors, starred at bat, while the fast
work of Clemens for the locals was a
feature. Score:

feature. Score:	
Wilson 001 023 340—13 16	
Fayetteville ...000 100 000—1 8	
Lane and Gilmore; Mufer and Sullivan.	
van. Umpire Accorsini.	
Hard Luck at Rocky Mount.	

Hard Luck at Rocky Mount.

Rocky Mount, N. C., June 24.—Way-
mack's ascension in the second inning
this afternoon and a hit batsman,
three passes and two slow ones in the
infield which were allowed to go as
hits, netted six runs after two men
were down and the Railroaders could
never overcome this lead. The Red
Birds failed to score except in this
inning. The crew got their two runs
in the fourth when Lambert tapped it
out for three bases scoring one and a
second later he trotted across on
Thorpe's single. Lambert, for the
crew, was the star of the contest, and
not only did he cut off several that
looked good for hits, but he was ef-
fective with the lumber. Score:

out for three bases scoring one and a second later he trotted across on Thorpe's single. Lambert, for the crew, was the star of the contest, and not only did he cut off several that looked good for hits, but he was ef-

Batteries: Waymack and Walsh;
Brandon and Rowe; Umpire, Mc-
Laughlin; attendance 250; time 1:45.
Weather, threatening rain.

SCREAMS.

And Otis pitched—
Now wasn't that all to the French
Dressing?

Nichols made a classy stop of Croc-
ett's grass cutter in the 1st inning.
Changing the batting list and put-
ting Smith in ahead of Brodie is the
right idea, and needs no comment.

Capt. Dick was caught napping off
the initial sack in the 1st, which led
to Nichols being smothered on 3rd.

Conn didn't catch his usual game,
seeming to experience some difficulty
in hanging on to Sexton's elusive spit-
le sputters.

We'd like to indict about two col-
umns or so of joy matter over the re-
sult, but the fact is, we're too full for
utterance—figuratively speaking!

Doak, the Terrible Tapster, only suc-
ceeded in mutilating about three cubic
feet of atmosphere the four separate
and distinct times he appeared at the
marble.

Everybody turn out tomorrow and
give the boys a good attendance. They
want you to see them win another
game; and besides the coin isn't un-
acceptable.

Those damp slants Old Sex was
peeling off must have dazzled the Gi-
ants, for he retired nine of them by
the ozone route, thrice beating the air
in one inning.

Bertie Kite handed out the encour-
aging talk to the Sailors on the first
base picket line, gaudily upholstered
in a bright carmine reefer, with pearl
buttons, that spoke for itself.

Sexton clearly demonstrated the
sort of speed merchant he is yester-
day—when he's given support—to the
entire satisfaction of everybody, which
includes the Wilmington management.

Orle Brodie toured all the way over
to right to stab a fly in the 6th, and
immediately afterwards before the ap-
plause had ceased pliffared a clean hit
from Goldsboro by a running knock-
down just to the rear of bag 2.

The Sailors ought to have chalked
up a few more runs with the number
of opportunities they had, but took too
many gambler's chances to run bases
and steal home when too few were
out. Come on; let's discard this dumb
judgment.

Sexton pitched a beautiful game,
keeping his hits scattered, and the
Giants wouldn't have had a look in if
Hemp had not made a fumble in the
8th, followed by a little juggling pulled
off by the same party when the
second man up hit into a double.

It's up to either Raleigh, Goldsboro,
Wilmington, Rocky Mount or Fayette-
ville to get busy and put a dent in the
percentage that Wilson is rolling up.
If they don't want this pennant race
to be a runaway affair. Who's going
to start it?

By glancing at the way the Tobac-
conists smeared terra-firma up with
the Highlanders, 'twill give you some
sort of idea what kind of aggregation
the Sailors rubbed up against the first
of the week, and then some of that
soreness will fade away.

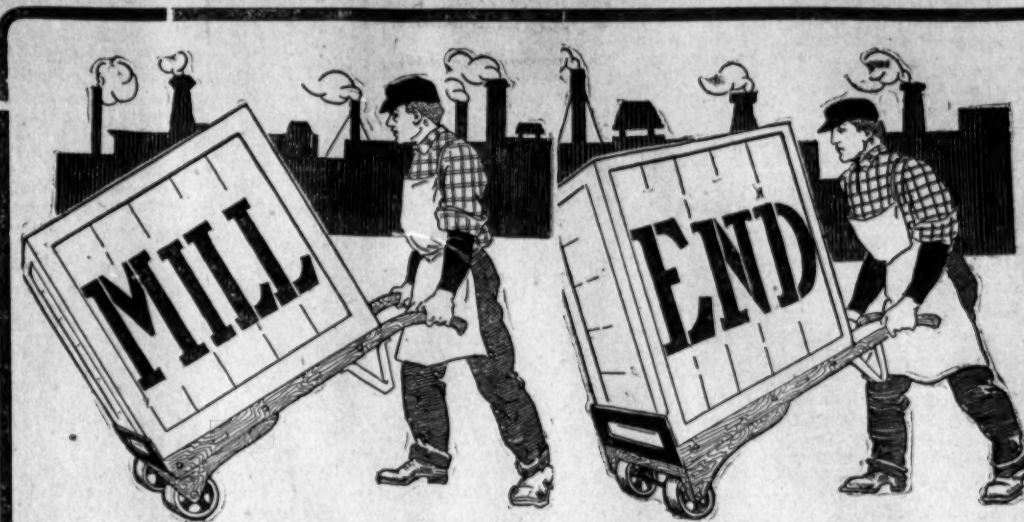
FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR

CONTAINS NO
HARMFUL
DRUGS

Cures Coughs, Colds, Croup, La Grippe, Asthma, Throat
and Lung Troubles. Prevents Pneumonia and Consumption

The Genuine is in the
YELLOW PACKAGE

ROBERT R. BELLAMY.



With a Rush Worthy of the Never-Equalled Bargains—

OUR MILL-END SALE IS ON!

The Store had hardly opened Monday when in swept the crowd—such is the magical attraction of the
Mill End Sale!

Every one who came bought, not sparingly, but eagerly—enthusiastically—such are the irresistible values
of the Mill End Sale!

The present Sale has hardly had a parallel in any of our past Mill End Sales. This year manufacturers
had abnormally large accumulations of surpluses, odds and ends and remnants which had to be moved.
Consequently, they offered us mightier price inducements than ever to help in their movement. And now we
can offer you MORE BARGAINS AND BIGGER BARGAINS than have ever figured in any previous Mill End
Sale.

The point to bear in mind—indeed the very essence of the values—is the fact that this is fresh and
worthy merchandise—useful to the manufacturer, 'tis true—but as valuable to you as seasonableness, new-
ness and reliability can make it.

YOU WILL NEVER HAVE KNOWN HOW FAR A DOLLAR WILL GO IN THE PURCHASE OF DEPEND-
ABLE GOODS UNTIL YOU HAVE ATTENDED THE MILL END SALE!

SPECIAL 30 MINUTE SALES—These are but a few of the many Bargains that await you here each day.
Wednesday Morning, 10:30 to 11, and Afternoon 4:30 to 5:00 o'clock—12 1-2 and 15c White Dotted Swiss,
5c a yard, limit six yards to customer.

Thursday Morning, 10:30 to 11, and Afternoon from 4:30 to 5:00 o'clock—Will sell for 30 minutes best
\$1.50 White Canvas Oxford Ties and Pumps, all sizes, for Ladies, Misses and Children, at 69c pair, limit two
pair to customer. Also, 10 yards of 10 and 12 1-2c beautiful figured Lawn for 5c, limit 10 yards.

Friday Morning, from 10:30 to 11, and Afternoon 4:30 to 5:00 o'clock—For 30 minutes will put on sale
best 5c Calico and Lawn at 3c the yard, limit 10 yards to a customer. Also, 25c Cotton Warp Matting, Car-
pet Patterns, 17c yard, limit 1 roll to customer.

Saturday Morning, 10:30 to 11, and Afternoon 4:30 to 5:00 o'clock—On sale for 30 minutes, Ladies' 25c
fine Lawn Kimonos, at 10c. Also, Men's 50c Office Coats at 25c, limit 2 to a customer.

J. H. REHDER & COMPANY

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CAUGHT AN OCTOPUS.

Specimen of the Devil Fish Landed at
Masonboro—First This Season.

Mr. Geo. R. Smith the well known
fisherman on Middle Sound, while
bringing in his nets yesterday morn-
ing was surprised to find an octopus,
or devil fish, which had been securely
hemmed in during the night and it be-
ing a small one, he had little difficulty
in getting it ashore. This is the first
one caught in this vicinity this sea-
son; it is a rare specimen of a fish
and a great curiosity.

The octopus was bought by Mr. E.
M. P. Odham, at Front street market
and attracted considerable attention
yesterday afternoon when it was placed
on exhibition. The devil fish is a
very strange fish, and is a king among
the finny tribe. The meat is poisonous.
The fish has a tall four foot long and
the stinger, which he uses so effec-
tively, is about four inches long. This
one weighs about 12 pounds.

TWO PASSED EXAMINATION.

Wilmington Boys Successful Before
State Pharmaceutical Association.
Messrs. D. Adrian Elvington and
Charles A. Lord, both of this city,
passed successfully examinations be-
fore the State Pharmaceutical Asso-
ciation in Greensboro Wednesday and
are among the sixty-odd new drug-
gists of the State. Mr. Lord led the
entire class and Mr. Elvington made
a fine average.

The examination is held annually
at the meeting of the State druggists.
The meeting has been in progress
since Wednesday morning and will
last until this afternoon. The gather-
ing is one of the best in the history
of the Association. Messrs. Elving-
ton and Lord attended school for two
months in Greensboro prior to the ex-
amination.

REUNION AT BEACH.

Spanish-American War Veterans at
Carolina Beach Saturday.
Saturday will be a day of unusual
interest at Carolina Beach, marked by
the reunion of the Spanish-American
war veterans from Fort Caswell and
Wilmington, who will celebrate the
occasion with exercises and invite all
who so desire to attend.

It doubtless will be an eventful day
at the beach, attended by large crowds
from Wilmington. The day is being
observed principally by the Fort Cas-
well soldiers, who have arranged ex-
ercises, which will be featured by the
music of the post band. Those who
attend are assured of excellent music.
On account of the special features the
steamer Wilmington has arranged to
make three trips to the pier and it
bids fair to be the premier event.

Colds that hang on weaken the con-
stitution and develop into consump-
tion. Foley's Honey and Tar cures
persistent coughs that refuse to yield
to other treatment. Do not experiment
with untried remedies as delay may
result in your cold settling on your
lungs. Robt. R. Bellamy.

Band From Fort Caswell.

Reunion Spanish-American Veter-
ans, Carolina Beach Saturday after-
noon, June 26th, 1909. Music and dan-
cing. See schedule steamer Wilming-
ton. Ju 25-2t.

Special Concert Today

AT
LUMINA

4:45 O'clock.

PAUL LINCKE PROGRAM

- 1 March—"Berlin Echo

MASONIC EVENT AT LUMINA

Joint Installation of Officers of Three Local Lodges Draws Largest Crowd of Season to Beach. Brilliant Dance.

Lumina, Wrightsville Beach, last night was in the indisputed possession of members of the Masonic fraternity, their families and friends, when the largest crowd of the season visited that popular amusement resort, the occasion being the joint public installation of the newly elected officers of the three local lodges, followed by one of the most brilliant and enjoyable dances of the season. It is estimated that between 2,000 and 3,000 people thronged Lumina during the evening.

The members of the three local lodges, St. John's, Wilmington and Orient, met in the Masonic Temple at 6:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and opened the lodge, adjourning to Wrightsville Beach for the public installation. The Masons went down on the 7 o'clock car and some returned at 10 o'clock and proceeded to the Masonic Temple for the purpose of closing the meeting.

The officers, whose names were given in yesterday morning's Star, were installed with the impressive ceremonies of the order by Past Master W. H. Chadbourne, acting as Grand Master. Past Master B. A. Merrill acted as marshal. The exercises opened with an overture by the Lumina Orchestra, which was followed by prayer by the chaplain, Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. "Until the Dawn" was pleasingly rendered by St. John's quartette, composed of Messrs. W. R. Doshier, first tenor; A. L. Doshier, second tenor; W. A. McGirt, first bass; W. B. Muse, second bass, following which the officers were duly installed by Past Master Chadbourne, who, after a selection, "The Skaters," by the orchestra, delivered a splendid address, of historic interest as follows:

"Brethren, Ladies and Gentlemen: I cannot resist the temptation to digress for a few moments from the ceremonies of installation on account of the uniqueness of this place.

"I would the Grand Master were here, who could take so much better advantage of this opportunity than I, but, as I represent him tonight, I desire to call your attention to the fact that about 150 years ago a little knot of nine or ten Masons, of whom William Hooper, a signer of the Declaration of Independence, was one, met in a little upper room just across the sound almost within a stone's throw from where I stand, and formed a lodge, St. John's No. 1, the most honored and honorable lodge in the State, and we of Wilmington and Orient lodges are always proud of our lineage.

"I stood in front of that room a few days ago with bare head, and tried to picture in my mind that room, bare of furniture, with those few men kneeling around an improvised altar, possibly only an empty pine box on which were an old worn Bible and the square and compasses.

"The question arose in my mind, and it is one for all of us to answer, whether our tenets of Brotherly Love and Friendship burn brighter, or even as bright, in our hearts in our grand Masonic Temples, our richly furnished lodge rooms, as they did in that little upper room lighted with three or four tallow dips. Would we go as far to support a falling brother, would we as often whisper good counsel into the ear of an erring brother, would we as often remember a brother's welfare in our supplications to the Deity? I ask you, would we? From that little band as a start North Carolina has now over 400 lodges and more than 18,000 Masons, all bound together by the same ties that bound the hearts of that little band just across the bay. From such little bands of earnest men many great and grand things have grown. In fact, all history is made from the determination and persistence of such little bands. The first of these was composed of only two people, Adam and Eve, and they accomplished the greatest of all catastrophes, the fall of man. Again, look at what has resulted from the earnestness of that little band of common fishermen, the Twelve Disciples. Again, look at that little knot of patriots in Charlotte, who defied the power of the whole British government, and proclaimed their independence even at the risk of death. From such small beginnings in Charlotte first, and then in other parts of the country, has sprung probably the greatest world power on earth.

"So, I give all honor possible to that little upper room lodge across the sound. The members have all gone to their reward in the Great Beyond. They have joined that scale solving lodge above; there the scales of doubt and darkness have fallen from their eyes and the wise purposes of the Divine Architect have been revealed to them in all their splendor."

At the conclusion of Mr. Chadbourne's address "The Bridge" was effectively given by the quartette. The selection was so superbly rendered that the large audience demanded another, which was graciously given. With the rendition of "The Treaty of Portsmouth" by the orchestra, the exercises were concluded, and the chairs and platforms were hurriedly removed for the brilliant dance which immediately followed.

The building was artistically decorated with squares and compasses, the emblem of the order, and was designed by Mr. E. C. Hudson, who is an artist in that line of work. From the centre of the ball room was suspended a huge Masonic emblem. The numerous squares and compasses were intermingled with hundreds of electric lights, producing a splendid effect.

The surprise of the evening, which also proved one of the features, was the appearance of a goat, drawn on invisible wires suspended from the old band stand to the other end of the room, ridden by a much disheveled "dummy" Mason. The goat was in-

duced during one of the dances and created wild applause from the vast assemblage.

Attractive souvenirs in shape of wooden jars were given by the Tide-water Power Company.

SELLING WHISKEY CHARGED

Rowland W. Young Arrested Yesterday Morning—The Second Time.

Charged with selling whiskey in violation of the prohibition law, Rowland W. Young, who conducts a near-beer saloon on Market between Water and Front streets, was arrested by Patrolman H. W. Howell yesterday morning. The defendant was released on a \$200 bond with Mr. E. M. Cheek as surety. The warrant was sworn out by Patrolman M. C. Huggins on information and belief and the principal witnesses for the State will be E. D. and D. C. Ward.

This is the second time the defendant has been arrested since prohibition went into effect on the charge of selling whiskey. He was tried on the first day of the Recorder's court and was fined \$50 and taxed with the costs in the case, which he paid.

At Work on Postal's New Office.

Mr. J. F. Heard, of Richmond, Va., district foreman of the construction work of the Postal Telegraph Company, has arrived in the city, and with the aid of several carpenters and decorators is getting the new home of the local office of that company, at No. 217 North Front street, ready for occupancy. Manager J. T. North hopes to move into his new and more commodious quarters the first of next week. The work has not advanced far enough yet to get much of an idea of what the office will look like when the workmen are through with it, but from the plans it will be one of the most conveniently arranged telegraph offices in the State.

Family Muddle Aired in Court.

Late Wednesday afternoon Fred Davis, colored, started a suit in Justice Bornemann's court against his mother-in-law for the non-delivery and detention of some furniture. Yesterday morning Davis was arrested on a warrant sworn out by his wife charging him with assault and battery upon her. Davis and his wife's brother came near having a fight in the Justice's office, but were promptly separated. Davis then went out and employed Marsden Bellamy, Esq., to represent him and the case was removed to Justice Harriss' court. Davis' wife failed to make out a case and she was taxed with the costs.

Lumina Dancing Classes.

The Lumina dancing class will have a session at Lumina this afternoon from 3:30 to 4:30 P. M. There is no doubt that this is going to be a most popular feature. The class is for children over six years of age, and is free. The barn dance step will also be taught to young ladies. Form 4:45 to 6:45 there will be a fine concert by the Lumina orchestra. This will be a Lincke concert, all of the numbers being by the eminent German composer, Paul Lincke. The programme will be found printed in the advertising columns of this paper.

Married Last Night.

The marriage of Miss Estelle Dev, daughter of Mrs. Melissa Dew, and Mr. Thomas M. Hall, was solemnized last evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's relatives, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Newton, No. 761 Bladen street, "Squire" McD. Evans officiating. The marriage was witnessed by a few friends who extended best congratulations. The bride is a young lady with many friends and the groom is a popular member of the police force.

At the Bijou Today.

The Bijou is offering two very interesting pictures as the feature of the bill today, the titles of which are, "Grin and Win" or "Converted by a Billikin," and "Plain Name; or All That Glitters is Not Gold."

The Foolish Railroad.

The stage fare from Huntsville to Glasgow—twenty-five miles—was \$1.50. This stage carried the mail, and it had to go. When the roads were so muddy horses could not pull the stage a double yoke of oxen took their places. It was slow traveling, but they got through. The steamboat fare from Glasgow to St. Louis in the early fifties was \$7. That included stateroom and meals, and if the boat was held up a week or two on a sand bar the accommodations went on without extra charge. The steamboat owners never believed the railroads could successfully compete with them. The way they looked at it people wouldn't be willing to travel 100 or 200 miles tied down to one seat in a small car when they might be enjoying the freedom of a big and handsomely furnished boat.

"Then how are they going to find room for an orchestra and a dance?" an old river captain wanted to know. "No place to eat or drink; no room to move about; just sit still all day long on a little wooden bench. Why, it's downright foolishness!"—Macon Republican.

Teacher—The sentence in the lesson is, "He went there out of idle curiosity." How would you define "idle curiosity?" Give me an instance, if one occurs to you.

Bad Boy—Well, I think a mummy is about as idle a curiosity as any I know of, ma'am.—Exchange.

Could Not Be Better.

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CHAMBER WITHDREW PROTEST

Wilmington Commercial Organization Will Not Fight Proposed Raise for Local Telephone—Citizens Act Independently.

With the understanding that the advance is not to be effective until October 1st, 1909, and that no further raise is to be made until the number of subscribers has reached 3,000, the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, in special session yesterday, decided, by a vote of 15 to 8, to withdraw its protest filed with the State Corporation Commission against a raise by the Bell Telephone Company in the rates of duplex business and residence telephones.

The motion to this effect was adopted at the close of a two hours' session, which was featured by a spirited but good-natured discussion of many matters pertaining to the telephone service in this city, participated in by members of the organization and representatives of the telephone company.

In accordance with the action of the Chamber, President Taylor yesterday afternoon wrote the chairman of the Corporation Commission that the petition of the Bell people would not be fought by the organization of which he is at the head. The matter will come up for a hearing before the Commission today.

The increase in rates will affect 1,572 telephones and will mean an increased revenue of \$3,232 for the telephone company. The telephone people argue that this raise is very essential to a continuance of the good service in this city as the investment has paid less than 6 per cent. interest. They also cite the fact that the line to Wrightsville Beach is operated at an annual loss of about \$1,000.

The meeting was called to order shortly after 11 o'clock by President J. A. Taylor, who presided. The attendance was not very large but representative. Secretary J. A. McGeachy was requested to read the contract entered into between the Chamber of Commerce and the representatives of the Bell Telephone Company in 1903, the rates which are in effect now being agreed upon for a period of four years, beginning Oct. 1st, 1909.

At the conclusion, President Taylor explained the purpose of the meeting which was to consider the matter of a proposed advance in rates on duplex business and residence telephones. He informed the members that the executive committee had protested to the Corporation Commission against a raise in the rates, but after a consultation with the officers of the company Wednesday he could not see how the protest could be maintained before the body, especially in view of the fact that the Commission had sustained the rates in Charlotte, Greensboro, Raleigh, Winston-Salem and other towns of the State. He stated that at the time the Bell people took over the other telephone system in this city that there were only 800 subscribers, but now there are 2,008 telephones in operation, better service is given and more people can be reached by telephone. He said that no increase was asked for single line business service, but a raise on the other classes was sought as follows: Business duplex from \$3 to \$3.50; business party lines (not over six on a line) from \$2.50 to \$3; residence single line from \$2 to \$2.50; residence duplex from \$1.50 to \$2 per month. President Taylor with deep earnestness at various times during the meeting expressed the opinion that the Chamber could not afford to continue the fight of the advance and urged that they decide to accept the proposition of the telephone people not to put the new rates into effect until October 1st, 1909, and that no further advance would be made until the number of local subscribers reached 3,000.

Mr. W. B. Cooper considered the service here second to none anywhere and thought the proposed increase was right and just. He said that the telephone people had waited six years instead of four to make an increase in the rates agreed upon in 1903 and had improved the service and secured additional connections with surrounding places. He moved that the Chamber withdraw its protest.

Mr. M. W. Jacoby inquired about the promised connection with towns up the Seaboard Air Line road. He felt that the body should insist upon connections with points up the road as far as Hamlet which the telephone company promised some years ago. Messrs. Morgan B. Speir, division commercial superintendent, with headquarters in Charlotte, and Mr. J. W. Crews, of Richmond, Va., general commercial superintendent, who were in the city, were sent for, and Mr. Speir explained that the matter of connection from Crony to Maxton had been under discussion and investigation for some time and his personal impression was that the line would be constructed some time this year. He called attention to the several other desirable connections recently made by the company, notably with Goldsboro for points on the main system, with places in South Carolina and with Seattle, the last named being acquired a few weeks ago. Mr. Jacoby asked if some arrangements could not be made by which he could be given a reduction on a stipulated number of collect calls from his customers. Mr. Speir said that he had talked of the commuted rate system for 15 years and that at present a man in Atlanta was at work on a scheme which it was hoped would be practicable. This was all the encouragement he could offer with reference to this matter.

With reference to the new connections being made by the company, Mr. R. L. Boyd stated that 125 telephones in Onslow county would be connected with the Bell system July 1st.

In response to an inquiry from Col. Walker Taylor Mr. Speir stated that it costs more to operate 2,000 telephones than 800 because the system requires more supervision and the lines are longer. He said that while the subscribers were paying more money than formerly they were not

paying in proportion to the increased service.

At this juncture Mr. Jacoby said that he thought every one in the hall understood the matter and seconded the motion by Mr. Cooper to withdraw the protest. Mr. B. F. Keith and two or three of the members were on their feet instantly in opposition to the passage of the motion, declaring that it would be unjust to the public at large for the Chamber of Commerce to assume to say what should be paid for telephone service when only 400 of the 2,000 telephones were used by members of the organization. They proposed having a mass meeting for all the citizens and let them take such action as they desired. Among those who spoke against the motion were Messrs. L. B. Rogers, J. S. Funchess, R. A. Parsley, B. F. Keith and Col. Walker Taylor. Following a strong speech by Mr. Sam Bear, Jr., favorable to the motion, the vote was taken, the result being as stated above, after which the meeting adjourned.

Independent Action Taken.

Dissatisfied with the action of the Chamber of Commerce in the telephone rate matter, the eight members of the organization who cast dissenting votes on the motion to withdraw the protest before the Corporation Commission and a large number of other subscribers, including 50 or more members of the Chamber of Commerce who were not present at the meeting, signed a petition and sent it to Chairman McNeill of the Corporation Commission last night, protesting against any increase in the rates of telephones at this time. It is stated that more than 100 names were secured for the document in the two hours in which it was in circulation. The leaders of the opposition to an advance in the rates are confident that had they had sufficient time they could have secured 1,000 or more signatures.

Mr. L. B. Rogers, one of those who circulated the petition, had a talk over the long distance telephone with Chairman McNeill, who stated that he would look out for the petition which will reach Raleigh this morning. The hearing on the matter will take place at 10 o'clock. The signers of the petition believe that in the event the Corporation Commission does not refuse the request of the telephone company that the hearing will be continued until a later date in order to give the citizens of this city a chance to be heard.

The main point made by the opposition to the rate is that when the facts are fully known it will be found that the Southern Bell Telephone Company is a subsidiary of the American Telephone Company, one of the strongest trusts in the country and which pays a dividend, it is claimed, of 15 per cent. on the money invested. They argue that even though the company loses a little money in operating the system here it makes a big profit over the entire system, which fact should be taken into account as is the case in any other business. They point out the fact that all business men lose money on some propositions but make up the difference on other deals.

In the event the Corporation Commission decides to continue the hearing to another date it is expected that those opposed to the proposed increase will organize and gather a mass of data to be presented to the Commission showing why subscribers in this city should not be required to pay more.

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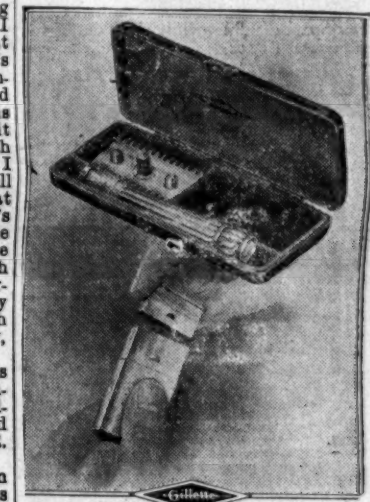
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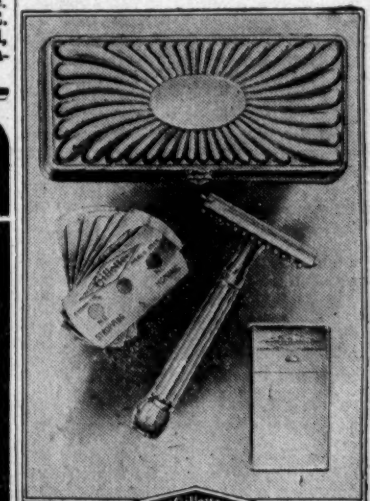
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Clinton News-Gazette: With the completion of the new Catholic Church Clinton with a population of nearly 2,000, will enjoy the distinction of having six handsome church edifices.

—Hendersonville, June 23.—The body of Sheldon Stepp, the young carpenter drowned in Kanuga lake last Saturday, has not yet been recovered. A diver from Norfolk has been working continuously, but finds no trace of the body.

—Mullins (S. C.) Enterprise: The Imperial Tobacco Co.'s building is going up rapidly under that splendid old gentleman, Mr. G. W. Lawrence, who has the contract in hand. The building is to be three stories high, and already the walls are being started on the third story. It will be one of the most handsome, as well as the most durable buildings in town. We understand that Mr. Lawrence is figuring on several other nice buildings for Mullins.

—Mullins (S. C.) Enterprise: Mullins will soon be making her own ice and won't have to depend on other towns for it. The ice plant of McDuffie & Owen, which is being erected in the rear of Mr. Owen's store, is nearly ready to be put in operation to turn out the crystal blocks of frozen water. The promoters of the scheme hope to have the plant in full operation in a few days, and then Mullins will have plenty of ice, as pure as the purest, and some to spare for her neighbors.

—Whiteville News-Reporter: A white man named Stevens, while logging for the Whiteville Lumber Co., happened to a serious accident last Tuesday, and which cost him a leg. It seems that a tree he had felled got lodged in another, and in attempting to get it down, got his leg caught and so badly crushed that it had to be amputated. Drs. Crowell and Baggett performed the operation most successfully and the patient is doing as well as could be expected, with every chance for recovery.

—Sampson Democrat: We have obtained the information that ex-Sheriff A. W. Aman has been recently sent from the State prison to the Caledonia State farm, Halifax county, near Tillery. As to the nature of the work he is doing, we are not informed. We have the information also that his disabled leg, which has caused him great pain and trouble, is still in a bad condition, and it is feared that an operation upon it may be necessary, if not amputation. His general health is not very good.

—Mullins (S. C.) Enterprise: Last Friday afternoon, while playing with a gun, the little 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Enos Huggins, who live near Huggins' bridge, pointed the gun at her 13-year-old brother and fired, the lead penetrating the child's arm and side. A physician was summoned at once, but it was some time before the doctor arrived, and the boy was too far spent and died in a few minutes. The killing was a deplorable affair, and was, of course, unintentional, as the gun was not supposed to be loaded.

—Asheville, June 23.—A deal involving the sale of 51,000 acres of timber land known as the Highland Boundary, located largely in Jackson county, became known today. The land has passed into the hands of a syndicate, composed of Messrs. Peck, Shield and Clark, of Philadelphia, and Alfred H. Edgewood, of Knoxville, Pa. The price paid was \$390,000 which is regarded as a reasonable figure. It is understood that the syndicate intend to develop the property and market the lumber.

—Eastern Carolina News: The pro-

posed good road from Warsaw to Kenansville, which we alluded to last week, is growing more and more in favor. This road will lead from Warsaw through the lands of E. J. Hill, Esq., and others to the old Williams place, thence to Kenansville and to other points. Mr. W. H. Dawson, Mr. L. D. Adkins, Mr. W. L. Hill, Mr. John H. Carter, Mr. H. F. Peirce, Mr. E. J. Hill (who agrees to build three miles) and several of the leading business men of Warsaw, are enthusiastic for this road.

—Rocky Mount, June 23.—On Monday afternoon Mr. B. F. Harper, a farmer of the Castalia section of Nash county, was killed by a fall from his buggy, his head catching between the wheels and breaking his neck. It is believed that he was under the influence of whiskey or some dope. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon, after which the remains were interred in the cemetery at Castalia. The deceased was about 30 years old and was a member of a large and prominent family. He leaves a wife and a daughter, ten years old, to mourn their loss.

—Washington, N. C., June 23.—The entire plant of the Gazette-Messenger Publishing Company, which for the past several years has operated a daily and weekly paper in this city until about three months ago when they suspended publication, was sold at the county court house in this city at public auction yesterday. Mr. W. C. Rodman, making the highest bid, bought in the entire equipment, including linotype machine, power press, engine, folder, paper, ink, type and contracts. It is understood that a stock company will be organized and the paper will begin publication again about the first of July.

—Sampson Democrat: Mr. C. J. Hall died at his home in Dismal township, Sampson county, at about 4 o'clock, on the afternoon of Thursday, June 17th, of dropsy of the heart, of which he was a victim for the past few years. He apparently was at his best when he died, and had made some remarks to that effect. Deceased was a member of Long Branch Baptist church, and was about 67 years old at the time of his death. He was a Confederate veteran under Captain Riley's army, having volunteered in 1862; went through the hard fights in Virginia, Maryland and Pennsylvania, and never did receive a wound. He belonged to the 7th N. C. regiment.

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Steamer Southport leaves Southport daily, except Sunday, at 6 A. M. and 2 P. M. Leave Wilmington at 10:15 A. M. Passengers on 2:30 boat from Wilmington and the 2 o'clock boat from Southport change at Carolina Beach for destination.
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East Bound	West Bound
6:30 A. M.	6:15 A. M.
	7:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M.	and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	Freight.

Leave 9th and Orange streets 6:00 A. M., 10:00 A. M., 4:00 P. M. and 7:00 P. M.
Freight depot open from 5:30 to 6:00 A. M., and from 8:00 A. M. until 7:00 P. M. Freight received at 9th and Orange streets only.

SUNDAYS.
Leave Front and Princess Streets
East Bound
7:00 A. M.
8:30 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M.

Leave 9th and Orange streets at 11:00 A. M.
Freight depot open from 10:00 to 11:00 A. M.

Seaboard Air Line

Schedule effective May 2nd, 1909. Subject to change without notice.
Local sleeper between Wilmington and Hamlet on 44 and 45 open for passengers at Wilmington at 9:00 P. M. connects at Hamlet with all trains North, South and West with No. 33 at Hamlet, through train for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis.

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No. 46 arrives 1:15 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 36 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 81 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:
No. 45..... 8:00 A. M. 3:30 P. M.
Lv. Wilmington..... 8:00 A. M. 3:30 P. M.
Ar. Lumberton..... 8:15 A. M. 3:45 P. M.
Ar. Maxton..... 8:30 A. M. 4:00 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet..... 8:45 A. M. 4:15 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet..... 7:35 A. M. 3:15 P. M.
Ar. Monroe..... 9:25 A. M. 4:05 P. M.
Ar. Charlotte..... 10:25 A. M. 5:05 P. M.
No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos. 33 and 46 for all points North at Monroe with No. 59 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 37 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York. No. 33 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 43 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.
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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect May 30, 1909.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departure are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.
Lv. Wilmington..... 9:00 am
Ar. Goldsboro..... 12:05 pm
Ar. Wilson..... 1:00 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount..... 1:35 pm
Ar. Weldon..... 4:55 pm
Ar. Norfolk..... 6:55 pm
Ar. Petersburg..... 7:00 pm
Ar. Richmond..... 8:00 pm
Ar. Washington..... 8:45 pm
Ar. Baltimore..... 1:15 am
Ar. Philadelphia..... 3:45 am
Ar. New York..... 6:30 am

SOUTHBOUND.
Lv. New York..... 9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia..... 11:37 am
Lv. Baltimore..... 3:15 pm
Lv. Washington..... 3:45 pm
Lv. Norfolk..... 5:25 pm
Lv. Richmond..... 7:10 pm
Ar. Petersburg..... 7:47 pm
Ar. Weldon..... 9:35 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount..... 10:33 pm
Ar. Wilson..... 11:14 am
Ar. Goldsboro..... 6:30 am
Ar. Wilmington..... 9:25 am

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.
SOUTHBOUND.
Daily. Daily. Daily.
Lv. Wil'tn..... 4:55 am
Ar. Flor..... 9:05 am
Ar. Col'bia..... 12:25 pm
Ar. Savannah..... 1:10 pm
Ar. Jacksonville..... 6:30 am
Ar. Tampa..... 7:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.
Daily. Daily. Daily.
Lv. Tampa..... 9:00 pm
Lv. Jacksonville..... 10:30 pm
Ar. Savannah..... 12:55 pm
Lv. Charleston..... 5:25 pm
Lv. Columbia..... 6:45 pm
Ar. Florence..... 7:15 pm
Ar. Wilmington..... 12:40 am

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.
Daily Except Sunday.
North-bound. South-bound.
Lv. Wilmington..... 8:30 am
Ar. Newbern..... 12:00 pm

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A Postal Romance.

By M. QUAD.

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Inspector Graham of the postal service happened to be at Chestnut Grove at the time the postmistress died, and he took charge of the office and did what he could in other directions. The deceased had left two daughters, one twelve and one eighteen. Squire Davis and two or three others scarcely waited the burial of the widow before planning for the postmastership and invoking the aid of the inspector. This they did not receive, however. He promptly recommended Bessie, the eldest daughter, for the place, and she was shortly appointed.

For the next year the postoffice at Chestnut Grove was the best conducted of any on the inspector's route. Not the slightest fault could be found in any direction. Had the inspector visited the office four times in the year he would have covered his instructions, but his calls were made much oftener.

Before the year was up Miss Bessie had to admit to herself that the inspector was showing something besides official interest, and the knowledge embarrassed and pained her. She had learned that he was free to marry. And why all these visits if he was not in love with her? The girl had a secret. It was a secret from the inspector only, and she trembled every time he came for fear that he would discover it. A dozen different village gossips could have betrayed that secret, but they had not been encouraged to talk. Squire Davis had often had it at his tongue's end, but had checked himself and said:

"Not a word from me. I said there would be a scandal, and there will be."

The girl postmistress had entered upon her second official year, and Inspector Graham had arrived to pay one of his semi-social calls, when he was met by a storm of excitement. He had been doing a great deal of thinking during the past three months. He had satisfied himself that he was really and truly in love with Bessie, and wanted her for a wife, and he believed that he had found favor in her eyes. On this occasion he meant to tell his love and know his fate.

"This is what has happened," said Squire Davis, who was the first to meet him as he stepped off the cars. "A registered letter containing \$50 for me has been lost in the mail."

"But Miss Jordan couldn't have taken your letter," protested the surprised and perturbed inspector.

"Mebbe not, but what about that fellow who's been hanging around there for a year?"

The inspector was an official now instead of a friend. He at once got to work on the trail of the missing letter, and before night he assured himself that it had actually passed through the office at Sand Hill, which was next on the east. This being so, it must have arrived at Chestnut Grove. The night of its arrival was a very stormy one, and there was no one in after mail until long after it had been distributed. Inspector Graham sat in the office and thought it out and knew that the letter had arrived and been taken. He could not bring himself to believe that Miss Bessie was the thief, and yet it hurt him to think that it might have been taken by another—by the young man to whom Squire Davis had alluded. The girl had had a lover for a year past and had concealed the fact from him. It didn't occur to him that it was her right and that he had really no business to know, but he felt that an injury had been done him. There was but one way out of the business, and he took it. As he called the postmistress in he was more of the official than he had ever been.

"Miss Jordan," he began, "did Henry Williams assist you to distribute the mail on the evening of the 4th?"

"Yes," she replied as her face went white.

"And Henry Williams took the letter. You know he did."

"I—I can't be sure," she said as she broke down and sobbed.

"You never told me that you had a lover."

"No. I didn't—didn't think."

"Why did he take the letter?"

"Oh, sir," sobbed the girl, "he wanted to go away and find work and earn money so that we could be married. It was a temptation. He must have taken it, but we'll pay it all back."

"And he loves you?" asked the inspector, with a lump in his throat.

"He does. I know he does, and if anything was to happen to Billy—"

When the inspector crossed the street to the inn Squire Davis was still in his office, hoping to hear that an arrest had been made.

"Well, will the girl lose her place and be sent to prison?" he asked as Graham came in.

"No."

"But why not? She certainly got my \$50."

"You didn't lose \$50. You lost only \$10. You had that sent to you hoping it would be taken. It was taken, but not by Miss Jordan. Henry Williams is the one, and there's your money back."

"But, sir, I demand—"

"You'd better drop it, Squire. You have lied about the amount, and the authorities at Washington know that you're been itching to be postmaster here. Just spread the news that you've got your money and let it go at that."

And when morning came Inspector Graham went back to the postoffice to say:

"Miss Jordan, that registered letter is all right. Squire Davis has received it. And now, as I shall ask to be changed to another route and may not see you again for years, I wish to bid you goodbye and wish you all the luck in the world."

A SHOCKING MURDER

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had better go and 'wash your dishes.' Even without an imagination you must know I will be thinking of you." This was signed "Doll Baby."

The other letter, also dated the 16th from Easton, read: "Dear Roberts:—Ryan and Short will arrive Oxford boat 12 o'clock tonight. Captain Lee will take us over to your joint. Get there about 12:40 but must leave after looking the place over. Sorry you have decided not to go this time. Girls all at Annapolis. Here is to the one you sent for me. Yours, Howarth."

The room in which these things were found showed evidences of a struggle having taken place. It was discovered today that crabs in the river early Tuesday morning were passed by a vessel, from which they saw an apparently heavy object thrown with a splash. It is supposed that the vessel was Roberts' launch and that it was Mrs. Woodhill's body and its weight that he cast into the water.

There is a mystery about the parentage of the dead woman who, Captain Thompson says, was 22 years old and who was obtained by him when she was but two years old, from the family of a poor street car man in Minneapolis. There is a rumor, too, that she was the daughter of a dairy maid or other farm employe in California and was born on the farm of a once prominent public man.

Mrs. Woodhill before her marriage was given an excellent musical education in this country and Europe and she is said to have sung in the White House before the late President McKinley. She was a beautiful woman and highly attractive, and was given a warm welcome by her many friends in this locality when she returned with her husband the early part of the month.

Former Secretary of the Treasury, Lyman J. Gage, took a great deal of interest in Mrs. Woodhill prior to her marriage and, it is said, after that. Indeed, he is reported to have brought her husband and Mrs. Woodhill together. The former Secretary of the Treasury visited this young woman at Captain Thompson's and she is said to have visited him several times in California and to have spoken of and to him as "Papa Gage."

Baltimore, June 25.—A brief telegram received after midnight from St. Michaels, Md., announces the capture of Roberts, the alleged murderer of Mrs. Edith Woodhill.

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

WANTED—Gentleman wants furnished room in private family. Address Box 544, City. ju 25-1t

FOUND—On platform at Lumina, pocket book containing small amount of money. Owner may recover by calling, describing and paying for this advertisement. C. E. Ravens, Colonial Inn. ju 25-1t

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FOR SALE—Dental practice, furniture, instruments, stock, good will and lease; worth \$4,000. Big sacrifice, illness, best city of 12,000 in State. Address "Stafford" Morning Star, Wilmington, N. C. ju 24-6t

WANTED—Position in drug store by graduate in pharmacy with a little experience. Address P. O. Box 318, City. ju 22-1w

FOR RENT—At Carolina Beach, cottages and choice rooms with all modern conveniences, for clubs or parties. Three boats daily from city. First boat leaves the Beach at 7:15 A. M. For rates and information address H. A. Kure, Carolina Beach, N. C. ju 16-1t

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WANTED—By Waccamaw Lumber Co., Bolton, N. C., white and colored laborers for logging department, saw mill and shipping crews. Apply in person at Bolton. ma 25-1t

A FINE BIRD DOG—Or a measly cur would enjoy a bath with our 'Veribees' Flea and Mange Soap. Its soothing massage and drives away fleas. Phone Hall's Drug Store. Ten cents a cake, delivered. ma 23-1t

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WANTED—In unlimited quantities, wool, beeswax, hides, tallow and produce. Highest cash prices paid for above goods. See us before you sell it will be to your advantage. C. D. Gilbert & Bro., 212 Market street, Wilmington, N. C. ma 16-1t

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Report of the Condition of The Murchison National Bank of Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, June 23, 1909.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$2,915,981.12
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	4,097.94
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	550,000.00
N. C. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits, 4 per cent. Bonds, Securities, etc.....	12,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	205,373.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).....	25,000.00
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks.....	408,670.54
Due from approved Reserve Agents.....	242,870.74
Notes of other National Banks.....	155,475.21
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and Cents.....	18,500.00
Lawful Money Reserve in Specie.....	342.23
Legal tender notes.....	\$29,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).....	128,500.00
Total.....	15,405.00
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in.....	\$550,000.00
Surplus fund.....	250,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	88,786.56
National Bank Notes outstanding.....	550,000.00
Due to other National Banks.....	573,025.44
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers.....	582,773.91
Dividends unpaid.....	363.83
Individual deposits subject to check.....	1,573,489.80
Certified Checks.....	551.70
Cashier's Checks outstanding.....	3,224.49
United States Deposits.....	10,000.00
Bills payable, including Certificates of Deposit for money borrowed.....	2,743,429.22
Liabilities other than those above stated, U. S. Bond acct.....	400,000.00
Total.....	100,000.00
Total.....	\$4,682,215.78

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss: I, Chas. S. Grainger, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHAS. S. GRAINGER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of June, 1909.

F. W. DICK, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: H. C. McQUEEN, J. A. SPRINGER, WALKER TAYLOR, Directors.

Report of the Condition of The Southern National Bank, at Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, June 23, 1909.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts.....	\$1,018,829.04
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	675.02
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	200,000.00
Other Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits.....	10,000.00
Bonds, Securities, etc.....	62,196.18
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures.....	5,000.00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).....	151,480.14
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks.....	95,924.50
Due from approved Reserve Agents.....	85,927.72
Checks and other Cash Items.....	4,926.30
Notes of other National Banks.....	18,104.00
Fractional Paper Currency, Nickels and Cents.....	312.22
Lawful Money Reserve in Specie.....	\$12,000.00
Legal tender notes.....	38,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).....	10,000.00
Due from U. S. Treasurer.....	2,046.83
Total.....	\$1,715,421.95

LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock paid in.....	200,000.00
Surplus fund.....	100,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and Taxes paid.....	37,540.63
National Bank Notes outstanding.....	200,000.00
Due to other National Banks.....	286,801.75
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers.....	352,038.74
Due to approved Reserve Agents.....	1,947.04
Dividends unpaid.....	256.00
Individual Deposits subject to check.....	376,026.45
Demand Certificates of deposit.....	None
Time Certificates of deposit.....	None
Cashier's Checks outstanding.....	811.29
United States Deposits.....	10,000.00
Bonds borrowed.....	None
Notes and Bills rediscounted.....	None
Bills Payable.....	150,000.00
Total.....	\$1,715,421.95

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss: I, C. N. Evans, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. N. EVANS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of June, 1909.

CHAS. S. GRAINGER, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 13, 1910.

Correct—Attest: EDUARD AHRENS, J. H. REHDER, D. L. GORE, Directors.

Report of the Condition of The American National Bank, at Wilmington, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, June 23, 1909.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and discounts.....	\$330,950.05
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured.....	338.30
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....	100,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....	3,391.98
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents).....	4,956.49
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks.....	44,592.80
Due from approved Reserve Agents.....	17,120.49
Checks and other Cash Items.....	19,155.43
Notes.....	5,594.11
Fractional Paper Currency, nickels and cents.....	1,041.15
Lawful Money Reserve in Specie.....	\$13,632.00
Legal tender notes.....	25,452.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation).....	5,000.00
Total.....	\$557,571.79
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in.....	\$100,000.00
Reserve for Interest.....	750.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....	6,940.17
National Bank Notes outstanding.....	100,000.00
Due to other National Banks.....	45,815.51
Due to State and Private Banks and Bankers.....	47,452.84
Individual deposits subject to check.....	164,623.55
Time certificates of deposit.....	61,307.50
Certified Checks.....	285.86
Cashier's Checks outstanding.....	396.36
Notes and Bills rediscounted.....	319,881.62
Bills payable, including Certificates of Deposit for money borrowed.....	30,000.00
Total.....	None
Total.....	\$557,571.79

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss: I, Thos. E. Cooper, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

THOS. E. COOPER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of June, 1909.

W. H. SMITH, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: CUTHBERT MARTIN, H. McCLAMMY, A. G. WARREN, Directors.

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67 Cases 3-lb. Canned Apples.

81 Cases Fancy Jumbo Peaches.

97 Cases Turtle Dove Peaches.

76 Cases Pie Peaches.

Statement of the Condition of The Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., June 23, 1909.

RESOURCES:	
Loans.....	\$777,304.63
Demand Loans.....	33,565.00
Furniture and Fixtures.....	100.00
Gold Coin.....	595.00
Silver Coin.....	317.92
Paper Currency.....	4,673.00
Due from Banks.....	57,636.62
Total.....	\$874,192.17
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock.....	50,000.00
Net Profits.....	48,243.40
Dividend Unpaid.....	21.00
Accrued interest due depositors.....	1,000.00
Demand Certificates.....	154,769.73
Deposits.....	620,168.04
Total.....	\$874,192.17

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the Atlantic Trust and Banking Co., do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24th day of June, 1909.

W. F. GILBERT, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: C. W. YATES, B. SOLOMON, I. SHRIER, Directors.

W. B. COOPER

IMPORTER AND JOBBER. WILMINGTON, N. C.

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